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FORT WORTH MAN PLEADS GUILTY TO ODESSA BANK ROBBERY

United States Attorney Johnny Sutton announced today that 31 year-old Jerry Johnny Gasca, of Fort Worth, Texas, plead guilty to robbing Southwest Bank located at 600 West 8th Street in Odessa, Texas on November 19, 2007. During the hearing, Gasca admitted that he entered the bank and handed one of the tellers a note demanding money. The teller complied and Gasca fled with approximately \$16,000. As a result of his guilty plea, Gasca faces up to twenty years in federal prison and a \$250,000 fine.

This case was investigation by the Federal Bureau of Investigation and is being prosecuted for the government by Assistant United States Attorney Glenn Roque Jackson.

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